



**BERKS AGRICULTURAL  
RESOURCE NETWORK**

*Framework for the Farm & Food Industries*

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**MEETING AGENDA**

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2015 @ 1:00 PM TO 3:00 PM**

**BERKS COUNTY'S AGRICULTURAL CENTER  
1238 COUNTY WELFARE ROAD  
LEESPORT, PA 19533**

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|---|------------------------------------|
| I. Welcome  | Carl Brown, President              |
| II. American Pledge of Allegiance                                 |                                    |
| III. Minutes of September 22, 2015 Board Meeting                  | Tammy Bartsch, Secretary           |
| IV. Treasurer's Report  | William Hughes, Treasurer          |
| V. Committee Reports  |                                    |
| A. Farm Tour  | Betsy Sattazahn & Robert Sattazahn |
| 1.) Drawing for winners of Farm Tour Door Prizes;                 |                                    |
| 2.) Reading School District participation;                        |                                    |
| 3.) 2016 Farm Tour Committee & Chair                              |                                    |
| B. Special Events – Heritage Festival                             | Larry Gelsinger                    |
| 1.) Reading Royals Tickets - \$13.00 Saturday, January 23, 2016   |                                    |
| C. Membership   | Ray Davis                          |
| D. Social Media/Communications                                    | Mat Haan                           |
| E. Career Fair  | Carolyn Gunster                    |
| 1.) BCIU Presentations to Principals and Curriculum Coordinators; |                                    |
| 2.) 2016 Career Fair  |                                    |
| F. Bountiful Berks  | Tami Hildebrand                    |
| G. Farm City Banquet  | Carl Brown                         |

- VI. Old Business
  - A. Purchase of six folding tables
  - B. Heritage Festival – Bill Zollers, Gary Rothermel, Carl Brown, and Bill Hughes
  - C. Ag Progress Day Bus Tour – August 16 to 18, 2016
  - D. Food Accelerator Grant – Commercial Kitchen Report
  
- VII. New Business
  - A. Berks National Ag Day Celebration – Tuesday, March 15, 2016
  
- VIII. Other Items – B.A.R.N. Members Comments/Questions
  - A. Next meeting – Tuesday, January 26, 2016 @ 1:00 PM
  
- IX. Adjournment – 3 PM or before